

# IWMS-26

# The 26<sup>th</sup> International Wood Machining Seminar 14-15 April 2025, Florence, Italy

First announcement and call for abstracts

#### Welcome!

Welcome to the 26th International Wood Machining Seminar, IWMS-26. The seminar will be held in Florence, Italy on 14 and 15 of April, 2025, hosted by the University of Florence, Department of Agriculture, Food, Environment and Forestry (DAGRI). You are warmly invited to attend and contribute to IWMS-26, and to join the post-seminar industrial tour.

IWMS-26 is the 26th in a series of world-class seminars started in 1963. It provides a distinguished forum for leading international researchers and practicing engineers to present and discuss challenges, recent advances and future opportunities in wood cutting tools, wood products and wood production processes. Practical information exchange and technical interaction among wood processing researchers are primary objectives.

IWMS-26 is being held in Florence, Italy, a leading centre of wood and wood products research in Italy. An optional post-seminar tour will enable participants to visit nearby wood processing plants and other places of interest. Florence is an internationally famous cultural centre, and is a top destination for visitors. The surrounding areas additionally provide many memorable recreational opportunities.

We look forward to welcoming you to Florence in 2025!

Giacomo GOLI (Chair of Local Organizing Committee) and Gary SCHAJER (Chair of the International Advisory Board)





#### Call for abstracts

The organizing committee of IWMS-26 invites to receive high quality papers on all subjects concerned with wood machining:

Cutting force and power Sensors and quality

Cutting mechanics Health issues

Process optimization Environmental issues

New tools and machines Market issues

Accepted papers will be published in the conference proceedings, and on request will be reviewed for inclusion in a special indexed volume published by Springer/Nature who is actually under negotiation.

#### Submission of abstracts

Abstracts should be submitted to the local Organizing Committee no later than 16 October 2024. More information concerning the submission and the format will be available soon, as well as the website of the conference. In case of selection for a poster or an oral presentation, a full manuscript will be requested. The official language of the conference will be English.

#### Conference fees

Will be announced in October 2024.

### Organizing committee

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## **Important Deadlines:**

- 16 October 2024 Abstract Submission deadline
- 16 November 2024 Notification of oral or poster presentation acceptance
- 16 January 2025 Early bird registration
- 9 February 2025 Full paper submission deadline



For further questions, please contact iwms26@dagri.unifi.it

